GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA

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CONDITION OF POST OFFICES
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether a large number of post offices in the country are in a dilapidated condition including the boat post office in Dal Lake;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI SACHIN PILOT)

(a) Yes, Madam. However, the Nehru Park boat post office functioning in Dal Lake has been recently renovated

(b) The details of dilapidated post offices are given in Annexure.

(c) Maintenance work is a continuous process and is undertaken whenever and wherever required. The department has issued instructions to the effect that each departmental building is maintained at least once in five years. In regard to rented buildings, the landlords have been requested to undertake repairing work. Besides this, minor repairing works at the cost of the department are also being carried out.